THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE P.S.NARAYANA

WRIT PETITION NO. 21269 OF 2006

DATED: 23-10-2006

BETWEEN:

Srirampuram Gram Panchayat,
Srirampuram, Bheemavaram Mandal,
West Godavari District, rep.by
Its Sarpanch and another … Petitioners

And

The District Panchayat Officer,
Eluru, West Godavari District …Respondent

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ORDER:

Heard both the counsel.

The matter is coming up for admission.

The learned Government Pleader had placed the report of the Panchayat Secretary before this Court. Learned counsel for the writ petitioner placed the correspondence between the Assistant Engineer concerned and the Surpanch of the Panchayat.

The present writ petition is filed for a writ of Mandamus directing the respondent not to insist the petitioners to shift the first petitioner office to the semi-constructed building which does not have any amenities, till the entire construction is completed and amenities are provided and to pass such other suitable orders.

The learned counsel representing the writ petitioners had taken this Court through the contents of the affidavit filed in support of this writ petition and would submit that due to political rivalry and only with a view to cause inconvenience to the members in general and the lady members in particular, this shifting had been thought of. However, the learned Government Pleader states that all amenities are available.

This Court is not inclined to express any opinion about this factual controversies between the parties. It is needless to say that the respondent/District Panchayat Officer, Eluru would look into the convenience and inconvenience and also further look into whether in fact the building in question had been completed and it is suitable for shifting of the first petitioner's office and to take appropriate decision. It is needless to say that this aspect is concerned with good governance and public administration. This Court records its hope that the District Panchayat Officer, Eluru will look into the grievances and redress the grievances in accordance with law.

With the above observation, the writ petition is disposed of. No order as to costs.

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P.S.NARAYANA, J.

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